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מדינת ישראל

משרד ראש הממשלה

ארכיון המדינה

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מחלקה

מכיל מס' תיק מס' 5/8/4

מדינת ישראל	
נוצר המדינה	
	
שם תיק: Bassat Qagum Forest Reserve No. 191 - Tulkarm Sub-District	
מזהה פנימי	מ-4191/1
מזהה פריט: 0007g28	כתובת 2-108-5-10-5
תאריך הדפסה: 22/11/2017	

PALESTINE GOVERNMENT.

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Bassat Qagun Forest Reserve No. 191- Tulkarm, S/D.

Bassat

COPY.

GP/5/59(1)

DEPARTMENT OF LAND SETTLEMENT,
JERUSALEM.

26th February, 1942.

Gentlemen,

I have the honour to refer to your letter No.B/B No.190/2 of the 11th instant and agree that paragraph 3(5) of the draft lease permits the Conservator of Forests to cut and take the eucalyptus trees only within one year of the commencement of the lease. After that period you will, of course, be permitted to cut down a certain number of trees in accordance with the accepted rules of forestry.

My letter No.GP/5/59(1) of the 28th January, 1942 should, therefore, be considered as cancelled.



I am, Gentlemen,
your obedient servant,

Sgd. M.C. Bennett,

DIRECTOR OF LAND SETTLEMENT.

Messrs. The
Keren Kayemet LeIsrael Ltd.,
Jerusalem.

Copy to: District Commissioner, Samaria Dist.

Ref. his 812 of 15.1.42 and my GP/5/59(1) of
28.1.42

Conservator of Forests

DEPARTMENT OF LAND SETTLEMENT
Ref. his F/8/Q/3 of 7.1.42 to the Asst.
Conservator of Forests, Northern Division.

AC.FND

AC.F.

F.I.S.

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3.3.42

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Government of Palestine.

חכומה פלסטינית

Nº 42158

ממשלת פלשתינה (א"י)

FOREST SERVICE.

שירות היערות
מصلحة الغابات

(G) Licence issued under Sections 16 and 17 of the Forests Ordinance, 1926, to fell olive or carob or any other tree protected by notice.

(ז) אעטט هذه الرخصة بموجب المادتين ١٦ و ١٧ من قانون الغابات لسنة ١٩٢٦ لقطع اشجار الزيتون او الخروب او الاشجار الاخرى التي نص اعلان على وقايتها

(ד) רשיון שנתן ע"פ החוקים 16 ו 17 ספקות הערות, 1926, לחרות עצי זית, עצים חרובים או כל עץ אחר המונע ע"פ מודעה רשמית.

Name and residence of licensee
اسم ومكان اقامة المرخص له
שם ומקום מגוריו של בעל הרשיון

Place of felling
מקן القطע

Amount and kind of trees
מספר הסוגים
מקדאר וסוג האשجار

Conditions of felling
כסות העצים וסוגם
שروط القطע

תנאי הבריחה
המדה המענה לقطع האשجار: מ- 1/4/28
המדה המענה לقطع האשجار: מ- 1/4/28

Copy.

DEPARTMENT OF LAND SETTLEMENT,
JERUSALEM.

GP/5/59(1)

28th January, 1942.

Gentlemen,

With reference to your letter No.105/2 dated 8th December 1941 in regard to the proposed lease to you of Parcel No.24 Block 8377, 'Ein Ha Horesh, Tulkarm Sub-District, I regret to point out that your suggestion that you be allowed to cut down a certain number of eucalyptus trees and make full use of the timber appears to conflict with sub-paragraphs X(5) and 3(9) of the draft agreement of lease, a copy of which was forwarded to you under my letter No.GP/5/59 (1) of 15th September, 1941.

On the other hand, I understand that the Conservator of Forests proposes to sell as standing trees any eucalyptus which are of value thus giving you the opportunity of buying the standing trees and maintaining them until they are larger and more valuable.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
Sgd.M.C. Bennett,
DIRECTOR OF LAND SETTLEMENT.

Messrs. The
Keren Kayemet Leisrael Ltd.,
P.O.B. 283,
Jerusalem.

Copy to District Commissioner, Samaria District.
ref.his 812 of 15th Jan.1942.
Conservator of Forests.
ref.your F/8/Q/3 of 7.1.42 to the Asst.Conservator of Forests, Northern Division.

Copy to: ACFND for information

Other Produce
Fees paid L.P.
Name of Forest Land
Place of extraction
Limit of period for extraction: from
Conditions of removal
Other Conditions

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DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS,
P.O.B. 1167,
JERUSALEM.

F/8/9/3.

GOVERNMENT OF JERUSALEM
DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS
ASSISTANT CHIEF
1. JAN 1942
NORTHERN DIVISION HAIFA

7th January, 1942.

Subject:- State Domain Bassat Sheikh
Saleh.

Reference:- Your FND/5/B/4 and F.R.Hadera
FZ/69 of 26.10.41, copy to me.

Assistant Conservator of Forests
Northern Division.

(21)

Please take steps to sell as standing
trees any Eucalyptus which are of value in the
State Domain Bassat Sheikh Saleh in Ein Hahoreish
Block 8377/24. This should be done as soon as
possible, in view of the season. This will give
the lessees of the land the opportunity of buying
the standing trees, if they wish, and maintaining
them until they are larger and more valuable.

*B. in when F.R.U.
is in D. office.*

M. Saleh

Conservator of Forests.

GNS/YV.

14.1.42.

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GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE

حكومة فلسطين

مמשلة فلسطين

№ 53717

FOREST SERVICE שירות היער מصلח הנטיב

(E) Licence issued under the Forests Ordinance, 1926, to extract forest produce from privately owned forest land for trade purposes.

(א) أعطيت هذه الرخصة بموجب قانون الغابات لسنة ١٩٢٦ لاستخراج النواتج الخشبية للأغراض التجارية.
(ה) רשיון שנתון עץ פירות היערות 1926, להוציא תוצרת יער מטרות מסחר.

Name and residence of licensee

محمد حسن

אם ומكان اقامة الرخص له

שמו ומקום מגוריו של בעל הרשיון

Amount and kind of produce

Mohammed Hassen

מقدار וסוג התוצרת

כמות התוצרת וסוגה:

Timber

חלב

Firewood

עצי כנף

Charcoal

חלב ויני

Lime

עצי הקנה

Other Produce

פחם עץ

Fees payable L.P.

11 Mils

הרשם

4 Kts Soda

Other Produce

אבני סיד

תוצרת אחרת

הרשם

5/8/4

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FZ/69

Asst. Conserv. of Forests
Haifa

For. Ranger's office

Hadera: 26.10.1941

Subject: State Domain Bassat Sheikha Teluk (Taxodium)

Reference: Letter of C.F. - F/8/C/3 of 16.9.1941 and
" " A.C.F.N.D. - FND/5/8/4 of 16.10.41

OK 27.11.41 The Mukhtar of Bir-Hahotesh declares
that a great area round of the plot, where the ^{Taxodium} trees of
~~Taxodium~~ are growing, will be taken under
cultivation and also probably fenced. He is glad
to assure, that the species will be well protected. (12) F.R.

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P.O. B. 1167,

JERUSALEM.

16th September, 1941.

J.R. SEP 1941

Subject:- State Domain - Bassat Sheikh Saleh.

Reference:- My P/8/9/3 of 2.2.41 to D.L.S., copy to you.

Assistant Conservator of Forests
Northern Division.

I am informed that the Director of Land Settlement has prepared a lease for Bassat Sheikh Saleh, Bin Mahoreh, Block 8377/24, including 30 dunams on which Eucalyptus are standing. He has inserted a clause whereby I am empowered to cut and extract the Eucalyptus within one year of the signing of the lease. Another clause provides for the maintenance of the Taxodium trees. In order to make the latter clause effective, I shall be glad if you will instruct Forest Ranger Zichron to interview the Kibutz Bin Mahoreh, who will presumably be the occupants. They will no doubt be intelligent and cooperative enough to arrange for the effective protection of the Taxodium trees. Needless to say, the Forest Ranger can assure them of our desire to supply them with any trees which they need for further planting of windbreaks or woodlots.

G. S. Saleh.

Conservator of Forests.

2nd amendment sent on 2.11.41

GNS/YV.

Copy sent on 22.9.41

Remitted to FR Hader
sent on 16.10.41

(12)

Government of Palestine

حكومة فلسطين

ממשלת פלשתינה (א"י)

No. 37942

FOREST SERVICE

مصلحة الغابات
שרות היער

(A) Licence issued under the Forests Ordinance, 1928, to extract forest produce from forest reserves for house building, domestic and agricultural purposes.

اعطيت هذه الرخصة بموجب قانون الغابات لسنة ١٩٢٨ لاخذ نتاج الغابات المحفوظة لبناء البيوت والتحصيد لبيتة وزراعية.
(1) ישורן שנתון ענף עצי קטנות, להוציא תוצרת יער משרוכות חקוקות לערות לאתר בנין בית ולחיתוך בתורת חקלאות. (A)

Book No. 380
دفتر رقم 380
ספר, סדר

Name and residence of licensee

اسم, مكان إقامة الرخص له: يوسف العبدعزي
שם ובקום מגוריו של בעל הרשאה: יוסף עבדעזי

Amount and kind of produce.

מقدار ونوع النتاج
כמות התוצרת והסוג

Timber

חطب
עץ 12

Firewood

חطب وقيد
עצי הסקה

Charcoal

فحم
עץ 2

Other produce

نتاج آخر
תוצרת אחרת

Name of forest reserve

اسم الغابة المحفوظة
שם המקום המוקדש לאתר

Place of extraction



DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS,
P.O.B. 1167,
JERUSALEM.

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F/8/Q/3.

2nd February, 1941.

6 - FEB 1941

Subject:- State Domain - Bassat
Sheikh Saleh - D/Tul/30.

5/8/4

Reference:- Your GP/5/59(1) of 14.1.41.

Director of Land Settlement.

I have consulted the Assistant Conservator of Forests Northern Division, and consider that the area of 30 dunams which has been planted should be included in the lease, provided that I am allowed to remove or to sell the Eucalyptus now standing thereon.

2. Further, I should like the opportunity to beg the lessees to protect the Taxodium trees which have been planted there. This species is rare in Palestine, and of special interest for swampy lands.

(Sgd) G.N. SALEH

Conservator of Forests.

GNS/YV.

Copy to A.C.F.N.D. ✓

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Government of Palestine

حكومة فلسطين

ממשלת פלשתינה (א"י)

FOREST SERVICE

שירות היער

مصلحة الغابات

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(F) Licence issued under the Forests Ordinance, 1926, to remove forest produce from privately owned forest land or from forest reserves.

(ו) אעלית هذه الرخصة بموجب قانون الغابات لسنة ١٩٢٦ لنقل نتاج الغاب من اراضي المملوكة الشخصية او من الغابات المحفوظة
(e) רשיון שנתן עמי פקודת היערות, 1926, להוציא תוצרת-יער מאדמות-יער פרטיות או ממוקומות חשוקעות ליערות.

Book No. 235

דפטר רחם

ס.ה. תש"ב

Name and residence of Licensee

اسم ومكان اقامة المرخص له

שם ומוקום מגוריו של בעל הרשיון

Amount and kind of produce :-

מقدار ونوع النتاج :-

כמות התוצרת וסוגיה :-

Timber

חטב

Firewood

עצי בנין

Charcoal

חטב ופילד

Lime

עצי סקור

Other Produce

מחכי עץ

כלי

אבני סיר

תבוא אחר

F/8/0/3.

GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE
DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS
OFFICE OF THE
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF FORESTS

DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS,
P.O.B. 1167,
JERUSALEM.

1 JUN 1940

14th June, 1940.

NORTHERN DIVISION HAIFA

Subject:- State Domain, Bassat Sheikh
File No. Salih.

Reference:- Your D/Tal/30 of 7.5.40.

Director of Land Settlement.

In spite of the consideration which you mention in your para 2, I should press for the use of this land for the growth of forest, of which there is a serious shortage in the plains. I am however forced to the conclusion that the present area of this isolated plot is too small for its economic administration as a forest. I had intended to establish there a forest nursery for the sake of the surrounding inhabitants as well as for departmental requirements. I now hope to use as a nursery part of Qalansuwa Forest Reserve, which has been provisionally allocated to me. I can therefore cancel my request to you to reserve this Bassat Sheikh Salih ("Bassat Qaqun").

2. Before Government leases or alienates the land, it would be well to allow Director of Agriculture to inspect it, as it might serve for an urgent purpose which he has in mind in connection with local food supplies.

(Sgd) G. N. SALE

Conservator of Forests.

Copies to Director of Agriculture,

A.C.F.N.D.

GNS/YV.

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Date

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Agricultural Officer,
Tel-Aviv.

4th June,

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In a recent conversation you have expressed that your Department may need a small area in the vicinity of Wadi el Hawarith. The Commissioner for Lands & Surveys in his letter D/Tel/30 of the 31-7-38, addressed to the Conservator of Forests, has allotted an area of 132 dunams 665 square metres to the Department of Forests. This land is registered under Deed No. 629/36 of the 31-12-36. The area concerned being too small for a forestry unit, might be sufficient for your purposes. If this is the case, you might request the Director of Agriculture & Fisheries to approach the Conservator of Forests in this matter. The position of the land is indicated in the enclosed sketch.

(Sgd) A. LAHAV.

ASSISTANT CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS
NORTHERN DIVISION.

Encl:-

Copy to Conservator of Forests.

Circular to all Forest Rangers.

If you are requested by Land Registrars or any other official of the Land Registrar to inspect land in connection with any transaction, you should observe the following procedure : -
(a) During inspection observe and submit a full report on condition of the land with regard to the land

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22nd May, 1939.

State Domain Bassat Sheikh
Salih (D/Tul/30).

Reference: Your D/Tul/30 of 24.3.1939
to the District Commissioner,
Haifa & Samaria District,
copy to me.

Commissioner for Lands
and Surveys.

The Assistant Conservator of Forests
has suggested that a provision might be
inserted in the agreement that at a certain
time (say six months) before its expiration
the tenant should indicate if he wishes to
apply for a renewal, and the landlord if he
is not prepared to extend the lease for a
further period.

CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

GHS/EG

Copy to ACFN.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO
CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS,
P. O. Box 1167, JERUSALEM.

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE

No. F/ 8/K/1

TELEPHONE No. 1022.
TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS "FORESTS".



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Government of Palestine.

Department of Forests,
MAMILLAH ROAD,
JERUSALEM.

Date 22nd September, 1938.

Subject: State Domain D/Tul/30 -
Bassat Sheikh Salih.

Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Northern Division.

I have to refer to letter No.D/Tul/30
of the 31st July, 1938, from the Commissioner
for Lands and Surveys, copy of which was
transmitted to you with my F/8/K/1 of the 7th
August, 1938, and to request you to take the
necessary action for the reservation of this
area.

[Signature]
A/CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

[Handwritten initials]
S" Ry.

EHF/EG

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25th September, 8.

Subject :- State Domain D/Tal/30 -
Ain Hahoreah Proposed
Forest Reserve.

Reference:- Your F/8/K/1 of 7-8-38
and enclosed copy of a
letter from the A/Com-
missioner for lands and
Surveys.

ACTING CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

I enclose, herewith, a draft proclamation
of the above-mentioned area as a Forest Reserve for
your approval and submission to the Chief Secretary
for publication in the Palestine Gazette.

A copy of the map of the Proposed Forests
Reserve is also enclosed herewith.

(Sgd) A. LAHAV

ASSISTANT CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS,
NORTHERN DIVISION.

Encls: 2.

BY/RS.

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GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE

FORESTS ORDINANCE, 1926.

Proclamation by the High Commissioner
under Section 3.

In exercise of the power vested in the High Commissioner by Section 3 of the Forests Ordinance, 1926, I,, High Commissioner for Palestine, hereby proclaim that the forest lands defined in the Schedule hereto are a forest reserve under the control and management of the Government.

SCHEDULE.

Serial No.....

Name of Reserve: Ein Mahoresh.

Situation: Tulkarm Sub-District, within the boundaries of Ein Mahoresh village in the Wadi el Hawarith area.

Boundaries: The boundaries are shown in detail by a green line on a map marked F/524 prepared by the Department of Surveys under No. SUR. HQ's 49/36, scale 1/2500, a copy of which is lodged at the office of the Conservator of Forests, Jerusalem. They are demarcated throughout by numbered Land Marks consisting of Angle irons concreted into the ground.

NORTH: Starting from Land Mark 1/E situated on the southern side of a road leading to Kakun village the boundary proceeds eastwards along that road through Land Marks ^{H/16} 2/E, G/4, G/3, G/2 and G/1.

EAST: From Land Mark G/1 the boundary proceeds southwards along the village boundary separating between Ein Mahoresh and Shuweika lands through Land Mark 3/E as far as Land Mark 4/E.

SOUTH: From Land Mark 4/E the boundary proceeds westwards along the village boundary

separating between Ein Hahoreah and Shuweika lands through Land Marks 5/E and 6/E as far as Land Mark 97/Q; thence it leaves the village boundary and proceeds in the same direction through Land Marks 7/E, 8/E and 102/Q as far as Land Mark M/15.

WEST : From Land Mark M/15 the boundary proceeds northwards as far as Land Mark 1/E.

Area in metric dunams. : The total area within the boundaries described is 132.665 metric dunams.

Description : Pasturage land including no land at present cultivated registered in the name of the Government under deed No.629/36 of 31.12.36.

BY/FR.

Ref. No. M/3 -1925

SURVEY OF PALESTINE. (13)

P.O.B. 676,

JAFFA.

Subject:- Maps.

21 / 8 / 1938

Reference:- Your 5/B/4
of 15.8.38.

The Commissioner of Surveys presents his compliments to

Asst. Conservator of Forests,

P.O.B.499, Haifa,

and has the honour to state that the under-mentioned ~~are forwarded herewith~~
have been despatched under separate cover :

Two copies of Block Plan No.8377, Haifa.

Remarks : Issue Voucher No.38128 refers.

[Signature]
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5/B/4.

15th August, 8.

Commissioner for Surveys.
J A F F A.

I shall be obliged if you will
provide this Office with 2 copies of the
plan of Registration Block 8377.

W. L. Lush
ASSISTANT CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS,
NORTHERN DIVISION.

BY/FR.

GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE.

DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS.

P.O.B. 1167,

Jerusalem.

7.8.38

No. F/ 8/K/1

The Conservator of Forests presents his compliments to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Northern Division,
and encloses the undermentioned documents for information.

Subject State Domain D/Tul/30 - Bassat Sheikh Salih.

Reference 8/K/1 of the 29th July, 1938.

GPP, 861-3000-25-5-36

Date	Description
31.7.1938	Copy of letter No.D/Tul/30 from the Commissioner for Lands and Surveys, together with map referred to therein.

a.s.
ASAC. H.
F.R. S: 2 note by.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

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D/Tul/30

31st July 1938.

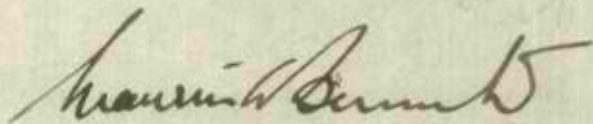
Conservator of Forests.

Subject:- State Domain D/Tul/30 -
Bassat Sheikh Salih.

Reference: Your F/8/K/1 of 17th
July 1938.

With further reference to my letter D/Tul/30 of 28.7.38 and in view of the fact that the above mentioned property forms part of the area originally declared a Forest Reserve in Official Gazette No. 202 of 1.1.28, which was subsequently revoked by a Notice published in Palestine Gazette No. 679 of 8.4.37, it is not considered necessary to apply for Government approval again.

2. The area is registered in the name of Government under Deed No. 629/36 of 31.12.36 and is hereby allotted to you. A print of the plan is attached.



7 A/COMMISSIONER FOR LANDS
AND SURVEYS.

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GOVERNMENT OF PALESTINE.

DEPARTMENT OF FORESTS.

P.O.B. 1167.

Jerusalem. 29.7.38

No. F/ 8/K/1

The Conservator of Forests presents his compliments to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Northern Division,
and encloses the undermentioned documents for information

Subject State Domain - D/Tul/30, Bassat Qaqun. — 11

Reference

GPP, 861—2000—25-5-36

Date	Description
13.7.1938	Copy of letter No.D/Tul/30 from the Commissioner for Lands and Surveys.
17.7.1938	Copy of letter No.8/K/1 to the C.L.S.
28.7.1938	Copy of letter No.D/Tul/30 from the C.L.S.

*[Handwritten signature]*ACF
S^a P.2.
M.Y.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

and the

Board of

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28th July 1938.

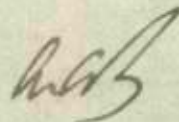
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Subject:- State Domain D/Tul/30 -
Bassat Sheikh Salih.

Reference: Your F/8/K/1 of 17th
July 1938.

Before I can allot this land to
you I must get the agreement of the
Departments likely to be interested and
the District Commissioner and the approval of
Government, but in the meantime I forward
herewith two sanprints of the 1/2,500 scale
plan No.L/453/36 which shows the area of
Plot No.2 as 132 dunums 665 square metres.

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A/COMMISSIONER FOR LANDS
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17th July, 1938.

Subject :- State Domain D/Tul/30 -
Bassat Sheikh Salih.

Reference:- Your D/Tul/30 of 13.7.1938.

Commissioner for Lands
and Surveys.

The area is now stated to be 132 dunams
665 M², and not 90 dunams as stated before. (Plot
2 in your letter).

2. Bassat Qagun is the same as Basset Sheikh
Salih (D/Tul/30), and Basset el Dalieh (D/Tul/31).

3. I should be glad if this area could be
allotted to the Department of Forests in order to
enable me to declare it as a Forest Reserve.

4. It will be greatly appreciated if you
will let me have two sun prints of the above-
mentioned map.

Sgd. A.J. Grasovsky

A/CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

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D/Tul/30

13th July 1938.

Conservator of Forests.

Subject:- State Domain - D/Tul/30,
Baset Qaqun.

Reference: Your F/8/K/1 of 29th
June 1938.

I shall be obliged if you will show on a print
the location of the plot of 90 dunums you
require.

2. Kindly confirm that Baset Qaqun is
the same as Baset Sheikh Salih (D/Tul/30)
and Baset el Dalieh (D/Tul/31).

If para.2 above is confirmed, the
total area of these two reserves is as
follows:

Plot 1 - Area 400 dunums 001 M².

Plot 2 - " 132 " 665 M².

Plot No.1 was earmarked for exchange
with the Jewish National Fund for land in
Wadi Hawarith and plot No.2 is available.

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31st July,

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Dear Mr. Nasser,

I was laid down in hospital for some time and I am sorry I did not reply to you earlier with regard to the legal position of Bassat Qaqun and Bassat Sheikh Mohammad as far as they concern the Department of Forests.

2. Bassat Qaqun which comprised Bassat ed-Dalieh and Bassat Sheikh Saleh recorded as State Domain D/Tul/30 and D/Tul/31 respectively, were both declared as one Forest Reserve No.188 in Official Gazette No.202 of 1-1-28. This declaration was revoked and the area cancelled as a Forest Reserve in Official Gazette No.679 of 8-4-37.

3. Bassat Sheikh Mohammad was declared a Forest Reserve No.191 in Official Gazette No.216 of 1-8-28 and consequently cancelled in Official Gazette No.452 of 12-7-34.

4. Under separate cover I am sending you a copy of Jebel Tur'an Forest Reserve within the lands of Tur'an village. This map does not include the portions of the Forest Reserve within the Bu'eina village lands. If you wish to have the latter, please let me know.

Yours sincerely,

AL/MS.

Mr. T. Nasr,
C/o Commissioner for Lands & Surveys,
J e r u s a l e m.

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7th March, 1937.

Cancellation of Qaqun Forest
Reserve No.188. Qaqun
Village, Tulkarm Sub-
District.

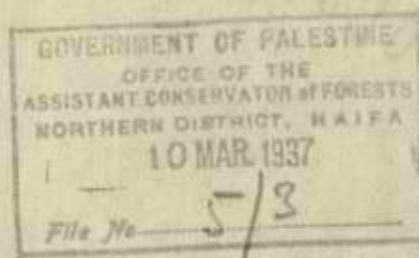
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CHIEF SECRETARY.

Pursuant to the instructions conveyed
in your letter V/22/33 of the 27th December, 1935,
to the District Commissioner, Northern District,
I transmit, for early publication in the Palestine
Gazette, the enclosed draft proclamation, decla-
ring the land referred to above to be no longer a
forest reserve.

(Sgd) G.N. SALE

CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.



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Copies to:- Assistant Conservator of Forests, Northern Division,
Ref. his 5/3 of 16.2.1937.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ADDRESSED TO:
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P. O. Box 1167, JERUSALEM.

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE
No. F/ 8/K/1

TELEPHONE No. 1022.
TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS "FORESTS".

7
Government of Palestine.

Department of Forests,
MAMILLAH ROAD,
JERUSALEM.

Date 25th February, 1937.

Subject: Bassat Qaqun Forest Reserve
No. 188.

Reference: Your 5/3 of 16.2.1937.

Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Northern Division.

I spoke to the Assistant District Commissioner, Samaria, on the 22nd February, 1937, and agreed to his suggestion that we should sell these logs to the neighbouring Jewish villagers, if they are willing to buy them. He accordingly telephoned to Nathanya and passed on this idea. I told him that if you received an offer for them, you would be able to settle the matter which would terminate our responsibility in the case of Bassat Qaqun. The cancellation of the declaration of the Forest Reserve can, I think, be arranged at once, and I propose to address the Chief Secretary on the subject.

2. It seems clear that the Ghaffir who had been employed there has been of little use for some time, and his employment can now be discontinued, unless you think that it is necessary to keep him there until you dispose of the logs.

G. N. Sale.

CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

ACF. A.H.
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16th February, 7.

Subject :- Bassat Qaqun Forest
Reserve No.188.

Reference:- Your F/8/K/1 dated
24-1-37 and 9-2-37.

CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

There appears no objection to the cancellation of the Declaration of Bassat Qaqun Forest Reserve. It should, however, be noted that there are felled Eucalyptus trees on the area which could not have been removed on account of inaccessible road during the winter season. Attempts will be made to dispose and remove the timber as soon as possible.

(Sgd) A. LAHAY

ASSISTANT CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS,
NORTHERN DIVISION.

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Government of Palestine.

Department of Forests,
MAMILLAH ROAD,
JERUSALEM.

Date 9th February, 1937.

Subject:

Reference:- My 8/K/1 of 24.1.1937.

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Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Northern Division.

I attach copy of a letter on the
subject of Bassat Qaqun received from the
Assistant District Commissioner, Samaria.
Please reply early to my previous letter so
that I can inform the Assistant District
Commissioner.

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G. N. Sale.

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Assistant District Commissioner's Office,
Samaria Division. Nablus.

T/80/104-1-417.

28th January, 1937.

Conservator of Forests,
Jerusalem.

Subject :- Ex-Forest Reserve - Qaqun Serial
No.188.

Reference:- Letter dated the 1st February,
1936, addressed to Principal,
Kadoorie Agricultural School, by
Director of Agriculture and
Forests.

When it was agreed that the Basset Qaqun
(formerly a Forest Reserve) should be handed over to
the Jewish National Fund in exchange for other land
in the Tulkarm Sub-District the Department of Agriculture
and Forests agreed to remove the cut-down eucalyptus
trees in May, 1936.

2. I understand that these trees have not all been
removed and the neighbouring settlers have asked if
the trees may be removed in order that drainage works
in the bassa may be facilitated.

3. I should consequently be grateful if you would
inform me whether the remaining trees are to be removed
by your Department. If not may the settlers remove
them? If so may they be removed by your Department
as soon as possible?

Sgd.H.M. Foot

Assistant District Commissioner,
Samaria.

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Government of Palestine.

Department of Forests,
MAMILLAH ROAD,
JERUSALEM.

Date 24th January, 1937.

Subject:

Assistant Conservator of Forests,
Northern Division.

On the 21st January, 1936, Assistant District Commissioner, Samaria, requested the Director of Agriculture and Forests to cancel the declaration of Bassat Qaqa as a Forest Reserve. The matter was delayed by subsequent events.

2. Is there any objection to the immediate cancellation of this Forest Reserve? If not, please inform me early so that necessary steps may be taken.

G. N. Saleh

CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS. *[Signature]*

ACF. *[Signature]*
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[Signature]

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23rd January, 7.

Subject :- Kakoun Forest Reserve No.188

Officer,
i/c Survey Party Natanya,
Poste Restante, Natanya.

Ref (SSA)

Referring to my verbal conversation with you regarding the above mentioned Forest Reserve I am now informed by the Commissioner for Lands and Surveys that the boundaries of that reserve will be pointed out to you directly by his Office.

(Sgd) A. LAHAV

ASSISTANT CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS
NORTHERN DIVISION.

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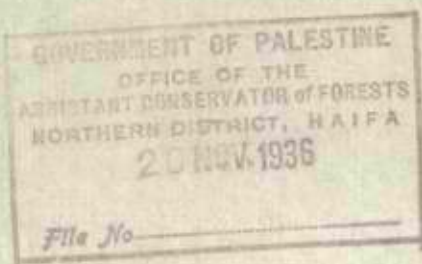
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Assistant Conservator of Forests
Northern Division.

Subject:- Basset Kakoun land.

I beg to inform you that the inhabitants of Colonies adjacent to basset Kakoun have ploughed the west part of Basset Kakoun land with a Tractor 40 days ago.

For your information.



P. Youssef
Forest Ranger Tulkarm.